

# SOCIETY

Thanksgiving is regarded, strictly speaking, as a New England festival, but it is an established fact, easily verified by reference to the Virginia records, that the first yearly thanksgiving ever legalized in the United States was that by which the House of Burgesses commemorated the partial deliverance of the Virginia colony at the time of the great Indian massacre.

The thanksgiving idea has its origin in the harvest home festivals, which have made a part of the yearly calendar in many nations of ancient and modern times. The goddess of the harvest and the figure of the earth have always been one that mankind have been inclined to enshrine on high; at whose feet they have laid their offerings with a willing heart.

In the countries of Southern Europe, the harvest home feast still marks the ingathering of the grapes and corn, and is celebrated with pomp and ceremony and great rejoicing. The New England thanksgiving is the season of family reunion. It has been kept since the days of Governor Bradford, and is invested with the tenderness of feeling which belongs to the southern celebration of Christmas tide. Here in Richmond, the day, with the exception of its religious observance, is looked upon more in the light of a national observance, it being of late years given up to the foot-ball celebrations which have marked it. Richmond at thanksgiving time flaunts its yellow and white chrysanthemums, and its dark and pale blue ribbons, and is possessed by the teams from the universities of Virginia and North Carolina, who are the heroes of the occasion.

## Miss Daughtrey's Wedding.

Miss W. L. Daughtrey announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Beatrice Daughtrey, to Mr. Robert H. Glass, of Lynchburg, the brother of Mr. Carter Glass and Superintendent of Schools E. C. Glass, of that city. The ceremony will be performed very quietly next Wednesday, November 19th, by the Rev. J. J. Gravatt, of Holy Trinity Church, the bride and groom leaving immediately after the wedding.

## Miss Taylor's Cards.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Taylor, of Ponticello, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Kathleen Taylor, to Mr. Guy Dunlop, formerly of Kentucky, but more recently of Farmville, Va. The bride-elect is the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, and is a typical representative of young and beautiful Southern womanhood. Mr. Dunlop is a prosperous tobaccoist of Farmville, and is a nephew of the late Mr. David Dunlop, of Petersburg. The ceremony will be followed by a handsome reception.

## Pretty Church Wedding.

One of the prettiest of autumn weddings will be celebrated at 6:30 o'clock to-morrow evening in the Church of the Covenant, when Miss Fannie Lewis Farrow and Mr. John Wise Yarborough will be married. The Rev. Dr. Calvin Stewart, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Robert A. Goodwin, of St. John's Episcopal Church, officiating.

The aisles and chancel of the church will be canvassed with a profusion of palms and crystal candelabra, will make the beautiful altar adornment. Mr. Reginald Walker will be at the organ, and the bridal procession will be led by the ushers, Mr. George Benson, Mr. Lynwood Rose, Mr. William H. Finner and Mr. John H. Frickhorn. The groom will enter from the vestry with his best man, Mr. W. Wellington Farrow, and will await his bride at the altar. He will be assisted by his maid of honor, Miss Mary Monica Farrow, and will be carried in ivory white crepe de chine, applied in lace, trimmed with chiffon and worn above tulle. Her veil will be caught with a pearl spray and her ornaments will be pearls. She will carry a shower of bride's roses.

The maid of honor will wear a pretty bridesmaid's costume of white organza, with insertions of cream applique. Her flowers will be white chrysanthemums. Among the guests from a distance who will witness the ceremony will be Miss Fannie McComb, of Waynesboro; Miss Susie McComb, of Louisa; Miss Anna McComb, of Staunton; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Blanton, of Newport News; Mr. and Misses Krebbe, and Miss Horner, of Lynchburg; Mr. W. Wellington Farrow, of Washington and Lee University, Lee University.

After their wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Yarborough will leave for a Northern tour. After December 15th they will welcome their friends at No. 102 Hanover Street.

The prospective bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston Farrow, and the niece of Mr. W. R. McComb, the president of the Union Stock Yards. She is a lovely girl, refined, cultured and as charming in manner as in personality.



## Good Jewelry

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MISS ELLEN GLASGOW.

Miss Glasgow's latest book, "The Battleground," has added much to her already brilliant reputation as a writer of fiction.

Miss Glasgow, who is writing another book, will, with her sisters, Mrs. Cary Glasgow McCormick and Miss Rebe Glasgow, spend the winter in New York in convenient proximity to her publisher. She is a great friend of Miss Johnston, and will be an interested spectator at the production of "Audrey" Monday night.

Mr. Yarborough, who is associated in business with Walter D. Moses & Company, is the organist of St. John's Church, and is widely and most favorably known in Richmond. Wedding gifts received are handsome, valuable and numerous.

## Warren-Conway.

Miss Frances Dowell Conway and Mr. Henry Crewe Warren were married at 9 P. M. Wednesday last, in Emmanuel Church, at Rapidan, Va., by the Rev. P. Le B. Cross.

Church and altar floral decorations were in green and white, and the music was directed by Mrs. J. Carter Walker, of Woodbury Forest, Orange county. Ushers included Messrs. Edwin Conway and William Jones, of Rapidan; Mr. George Kesee, Mr. Robert McCandlish and Mr. Percy Pemberton, of Richmond; Dr. Walter Phillips, of Baltimore.

The bride wore white chiffon over tulle, with pearl ornaments. Her maid of honor, Miss Margaret G. Conway, had on white mousseline veiling, white satin and carried pink carnations. Mr. Allan B. Warren acted as best man. These from a distance who will witness the wedding were: Mr. J. A. Patton, of Danville, Va.; the Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Ellis, of Gordonsville; Misses Margaret and Augusta Tinsley and Miss Virginia Taylor, of Richmond; Mrs. Thomas Dowell, Miss Dowell, of Charlottesville; Misses Esther and Mary Pickett Lewis, of Berryville, Va.; Miss Abby M. St. John, of Fredericksburg, Va.; Mr. George Warren and Mr. A. Seddon Jones, of Richmond.

## Weddings in Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Newman announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Maude Olive Newman, to Mr. Claude Selden Hanks, of St. Louis. The marriage will take place at the home of the bride's parents, No. 42 West Clay Street, on November 20th. No invitations will be issued, and only the family and a few friends will be present.

Much interest is being shown in the approaching wedding of Miss Nellie Lee Wise to Mr. Frank S. Bullington, which will take place November 18th, at 7:30 P. M., in Clay Street Methodist Church. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. L. B. Betty. Miss Wise is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. O. F. Wise and has a large circle of friends in this and other cities. Mr. Bullington is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bullington, and is a valued employee of the Galeski Optical Company. Miss Edna Ruby Wise, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Mr. Harry Taylor will act as best man.

The ushers are Mr. Jas. J. Sauer, of Chicago, and Messrs. R. Booth, W. Pearson, J. O. Taylor, L. Trent, and B. F. Schultz, of Richmond. After December 1st Mr. and Mrs. Bullington will be at home at No. 70 North Fifth Street.

Miss Charlotte Tritton and Mr. Alexander Ryland will be married November 18th at Grace Episcopal Church and the ceremony will be performed by the Rev. W. P. Christman, assisted by the Rev. Landon Nason. Miss Constance Tritton will be maid of honor. The bridesmaids will be Miss Barnette, of Franklin, Pa.; Miss Josephine Armitage, of Monclair, N. J.; Miss Mary Ryland and Miss Amelia Coalter, both of Richmond. The bride, although a Virginian by birth, is closely connected with many old New England families, and she is a lineal descendant of William Bradford, second Governor of Plymouth Colony, the originator of Thanksgiving Day.

The groom is a son of the late Josiah Ryland, Second Auditor of the State. Among the guests expected and relatives of the bride are Mrs. G. C. Barnette, Mr. L. W. Barnette, of Franklin, Pa.; Mrs. J. J. Goodwin, of Hartford, Conn.; a cousin of Mrs. Pierpont Morgan, the great financier; Miss Helen Sturgeon, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen, of Newark, N. J.

First Baptist Church on the morning of Wednesday, November 26th, at 11 o'clock, and will be performed by the pastor of the church, the Rev. Dr. John B. Turpin.

Miss Tyler is one of the most popular of the young ladies of Charlottesville, where she has resided for several years. Mr. Scott is the city editor of The Charlottesville Progress and a University alumnus.

## Clubs and Societies.

Miss Elizabeth Amis Mosby, one of the most talented of Richmond young musicians, will give a piano recital at the Woman's Club on Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, when a most attractive programme will be rendered.

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club will have their next meeting on Tuesday evening, November 18th. It will be entertained by Miss Guillaume at No. 7 East Grace Street next Tuesday at 8 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Milton C. Work Whist Club will be held this week on Thursday afternoon instead of Wednesday as usual.

After some unexpected delay the Summer Rest calendar have at last been received and placed upon the Christmas market as decidedly the most charming holiday gift of the season. The following named gentlemen have most generously consented to place them on sale in the stores of J. J. Poirquar, A. Hutzler's Sons, Miller & Rhoads, Kaufmann & Co., Cordes & Mosby, Pemberton and T. A. Miller. They may be found also at the military store of Mrs. L. B. Morris and at the Rosemary and St. Andrew's libraries. These kind friends of Summer Rest have promised not only to permit the sale of the calendars, but to do all in their power to promote it. The co-operative workers ask for a corresponding generosity on the part of the shopping public of our city.

The School of Art under the auspices of the Richmond Art Club is now open to the public and will be conducted on lines similar to the art schools of the larger Northern and Western cities.

Miss Annie C. Fletcher, of New York, and Mr. M. M. Strause, of this city, both of whom have had the finest training and are thoroughly equipped in every way for their work, are the instructors in charge of art classes in the school.

An exhibition of Miss Fletcher's work and Mr. Strause's designs will be held at the Art Club, corner of Madison and Grace Streets, to which the public is invited free of charge. This exhibition will be open to-morrow afternoon and evening, with Miss Fletcher and Mr. Strause in attendance, and from 10 A. M. to 8 P. M. every day thereafter for two weeks.

## Entertainments.

Several young society girls are interested in completing the details for the German to be given Thanksgiving night in the Masonic Temple to the University of Virginia and North Carolina foot-ball teams, who will be in Richmond on that day.

The ball-room will be handsomely decorated in orange and dark blue, the State University colors, and in the white and pale blue of the North Carolina boys. Thelma's orchestra will supply the music, and the fact that Richmond girls have the affair in hand is the best augury of its complete success.

Those who wish tickets can secure them by application at No. 12 West, or at No. 100 East Grace Street.

Mrs. B. M. Robinson, of this city, was charmingly entertained Friday evening last by Mrs. Alexander Stock, of Norfolk. Guests were asked to a "coffee gossip," and during the afternoon each lady

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# LOOKING BACKWARD AND FORWARD

SEVENTEEN YEARS AGO last month we began to lay the foundation of this present business in a small store, 20x75 feet—one floor. Enlargement and improvement followed in rapid succession until one year ago *yesterday* we opened our doors in this remodeled and enlarged store of basement and four floors—forty thousand square feet of the best lighted store space to be found anywhere.

Those of you who frequently come here need not be told that our efforts to give a good retail service have been rewarded by a generous patronage.

We are trying to improve each *yesterday*. Mistakes are made—but we always stand ready to rectify them—and we are going to give you a better store service this year than last in every way—better merchandise, better store comforts, and always the lowest prices.

Christmas preparations are everywhere in evidence and we wish to remind you of the *flight of time*.

*Miller & Rhoads*

There are four special sales advertised for this week that will be of *GREAT IMPORTANCE* to the women of Richmond as well as to ourselves.

## THE NEW DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

### IN THE SPECIAL SALE.

### DRESS GOODS.

**\$2.00 Zibeline Plaids for \$1.00**—45 inches wide and all pure wool in black and red and blue and black.

**Corded Waist Cloths, 58c**—We have just received another lot of those Corded Waist Cloths which sold so rapidly last week. Wide range of colors.

**Botany Flannels, 50c**—27 inches wide, soft kid finish. The ideal flannel for waists.

**Mistral Suitings, 69c**—44 inches wide, all pure worsted.

**Silk Finish Henriettas, 59c**—All pure wool with beautiful silk finish, a regular 75c value.

### BLACK DRESS GOODS.

**75c Henriettas for 50c**—38 inches wide, very fine count with silk finish, a real imported number, actual value 75c.

**50c Foutie Cloths for 29c**—27 inches wide, all pure wool, only three pieces to sell Monday.

**Black Cheviots, 39c**—All pure worsted, good weight, guaranteed to wear well.

### SILKS.

**Corded Taffetas, 49c**—18 inches wide, self-colored cords, 15 shades.

**Colored Taffetas, 48c**—18 inches wide, all silk, in 20 colorings, including black and white.

**Peau de Armure, 79c**—19 inches wide, soft and lustrous, good color assortment.

**Dotted Crepes, 85c**—19 inches wide and very lustrous in the most desirable shades.

**Peau de Cygne, 75c**—All pure silk with rich, bright sheen.

### BLACK SILKS.

**Black Peau de Soie, \$1.00**—20 inches wide, good, heavy weight, with deep, rich lustre, guaranteed to wear well.

**Black Moire Renaissance, \$1.00**—22 inches wide, beautifully watered, just the correct thing for the new Monte Carlo coat.

**Empire Antique Moire, \$1.25**—22 inches wide, elegant quality.

**Black Rhadzimer, \$1.00**—22 inches wide, with rich, high lustre, a regular \$1.25 grade, guaranteed to wear well.

## THE GREAT SALE OF LINENS THIS WEEK.

### TABLE LINENS.

Richardson's celebrated Full Bleached Satin Finished Damask in the newest and best patterns, also Napkins to match.

72-inch Damask, \$0.75 a yard.  
72-inch Damask, 1.00 a yard.  
72-inch Damask, 1.25 a yard.  
72-inch Damask, 1.50 a yard.

### DOUBLE DAMASK.

Full bleached, extra heavy, handsome design..... **\$2.00**

### GERMAN DAMASK.

Extra heavy, silver bleached. For durability there is nothing better.

64-inch Damask, \$0.50 a yard.  
64-inch Damask, 0.75 a yard.  
70-inch Damask, 1.00 a yard.

### GREAT VALUES IN NAPKINS.

Full bleached,  $\frac{3}{4}$  size, \$0.79 dozen.  
Full bleached,  $\frac{3}{4}$  size, 1.00 dozen.  
Full bleached,  $\frac{3}{4}$  size, 1.25 dozen.  
Full bleached,  $\frac{3}{4}$  size, 2.00 dozen.  
Full bleached,  $\frac{3}{4}$  size, 2.50 dozen.

### LINEN DAMASK SETS.

8x10 Cloths, dozen 3-4 Napkins to match, \$ 7.50.  
8x12 Cloths, dozen 3-4 Napkins to match, 9.50.  
10x12 Cloths, dozen 3-4 Napkins to match, 11.00.

### MERCERIZED DAMASK.

Full bleached, in a fine assortment of new patterns, 58 inches wide, an extra good cloth, only 50c a yard.

One hundred dozen fine Mercerized Napkins, patterns to match cloths, dozen, \$1.50.

### FRINGED TABLE CLOTHS.

Genuine Oil Bolled Turkey Red, only \$1.25 each.  
German Damask, solid white, handsome designs, \$1.50 each.  
German Damask, plain white, with fancy open work, \$1.89.

### "OLD BLEACH" ART LINEN.

The best made, has a soft, silky feel, which is peculiar to the "Old Bleach."

36-inch wide, \$0.50 a yard.  
45-inch wide, 0.75 a yard.  
54-inch wide, 1.00 a yard.

### SPECIAL TRAY CLOTHS.

Fringed in white and colors, only 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.  
All pure linen, fringed, the 33c quality, for 21c.  
Handsome Hemstitched German Linen, the 35c grade, 25c.

### BUFFET SCARFS.

White and colored fringed, extra long, 25c.  
Hemstitched white, 39c.  
Hemstitched open work, 50c.

### FINE TOWEL VALUES.

German Damask Towel, knotted fringe, all pure linen, 17x36 inch, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.

An extra good Huck Towel, white and colored borders, 19x38 inch, 17c.

An extra heavy all pure linen Huck, with damask border, 22x44 inch, a regular \$4.00 a dozen quality, special at 25c.

The old bleach Huck Towel, the more it is laundered the better you like it, 20x38 inch, 33c.

German Damask Towel, an extra heavy grade, with fancy open work, very handsome, 22x44 inch, 50c.

Handsome satin finish Damask Towel, hemstitched with heavy knotted fringe, a good \$1.00 value, for 85c.

### LINEN SHEETS.

90x96 pure linen hemstitched Sheets, **\$2.50**

### LINEN BOLSTER CASE.

All pure linen hemstitched..... **\$1.00**

### LINEN PILLOW CASE.

All pure linen hemstitched..... **69c**

## THE UPHOLSTERY DEPT WAS NEVER MORE COMPLETE.

Gordon Rep. Portieres, with wide tapestry border, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide, old rose, green and red, \$6.00 value for \$5.00 pair.

Heavy Ottoman Rep Portieres, solid colors and two tone floral designs, special value, \$5.00 pair.

Armure and Silk Finish Satin Derby Portieres, all colors, 50 inches wide, 3 yards, heavy tassels, fringe, \$3.00 pair.

Tapestry Couch Covers, Oriental and Bagdad designs, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide, heavy fringe, \$2.98 each.

Irish Point Arabian and English Bobbinet Lace Curtains, in a large range of new designs, all hand made, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  yards long, \$5.00 pair.

Special value in Body Brussels and Electric Velvet Art Squares, 9x12 feet, all colors, in Oriental and floral designs, \$29.00 each.

Pro Brussels and all-wool Ingrain Druggers, in floral and Persian designs, 3x4 yards, \$9.00 each.

All-wool Smyrna Rugs, extra heavy quality, all colors, in rich Oriental, floral and Persian designs, 3x7 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches, \$4.50.

Fine quality Moquet Rugs, all colors, floral designs, well bound at each end, \$3.48.

Moquet Door Mats to match, 18x36 inches, \$1.00 each.

**BOBBINET CURTAINS WITH WIDE RUFFLES AND BATTENBURG INSERTING AND EDGE, 3 YARDS LONG, EXTRA VALUE, \$2.50 PAIR. POLES AND FIXTURES COMPLETE WITH EACH PAIR FREE.**

Extra heavy Nottingham Curtains, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  yards long, full 60 inches wide all new effective designs, \$1.75 pair.

## TWO SILK PETTICOATS THAT ARE SPECIAL BARGAINS.

All-silk taffeta in black and changeable blue and green—changeable colors are rare in low-priced skirts. These petticoats made with a corded flounce and satine dust ruffle, very full width, and at the price are exceptionally good values—

**\$5.50.**

The second skirt is also of all-silk taffeta in black and changeable blues and greens. It's made with a wide accordion pleat. Silk dust ruffle, very full, and as skirt values run it's worth fully \$9.50, but we offer it to-morrow for—

**\$6.98.**

### C. B. A la Sprite Corset, \$5.00

Beautiful model in silk brocade, with Princess Hip, trimmed with valenciennes lace, all white, black and white, blue and white.

*Miller & Rhoads*

### Princess Hip Corsets, \$1.00

New Models of the Princess Hip Corsets, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 in C. Z., W. B., Royal Worcester, Warner Rust Proof and Thomson's Glove Fitting.